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The Principal's Message



The design of our cover this year makes use of the Lamp of Learning, a symbol which is often used by educational institutions, associations, and journals. For example, it forms a part of the crest of the London Teachers' College, a replica of this lamp is presented each year by the Ontario Secondary School Teachers' Federation to some citizen who has made an outstanding contribution to education, and the idea for this design was obtained from the cover of the most recent year-book published by the School of Nursing of the Sudbury General Hospital. The style is, of course, that of an old Greek or Roman oil-burning lamp, and, in order to make a more suitable design, we replaced the lighted wick with a much taller candle. However, it still is representative of Learning, and as such, is most suitable for the cover design of our own annual publication.

For the prime function of a school is to provide an education for our pupils, and the prime duty of the pupils is to acquire that

education, so that through them this knowledge may shine forth to lighten the world. Academic training is the first, but not the only form of this education. Students must learn their mathematics and sciences and languages if they are to have any hope of successfully surviving in the stern competition of this modern world. But they must also learn to have regard for the needs and opinions of others; in their games, they must develop the spirit of fair play and good sportsmanship; their social activities must contribute to the happiness of their fellow-students as well as to their own pleasure; in brief, they must learn to live successfully with others.

But such education is not a gift from nature or a divine miracle. It is acquired only by work, by conscious and conscientious effort, by long hours of mental and physical and spiritual training. This work is the oil which keeps the Lamp of Learning burning. "Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works, and glorify your Father which is in Heaven."

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FROM THE EDITOR

The year 1960-61 has seen many activities in Forest District High School and the magazine staff has tried to give a faithful account of them in word and picture.

To present fully a year in the life of a school requires co-operative work on the part of many and I wish to thank all who have helped to assemble this year's story. May this volume of *Aurea Vincula* help "fond memory bring the light of other days" around you in later years.

Sincerely,
CHRISTINE RITCHIE



COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

The Commencement Exercises of Forest District High School were held in the auditorium on Friday, November 4, 1960. On that evening, a large crowd had assembled in the auditorium by 7:45 p.m. while in the halls outside the gymnasium, excited students quickly lined up, ready to begin the graduation procession, as the prelude was played by Miss Margaret Fawcett, the school music teacher. The audience rose as the graduation procession slowly walked to the front of the auditorium and took their seat. Following the grade were the teachers in their gowns and hoods. Members of the school board, and the guest speakers occupied the platform chairs.

The Rev. Ralph Willson gave the invocation prayer, which was followed by the Lord's Prayer sung by the Girls' Choir. The Address of Welcome was extended to all by Dr. W. H. Cooper, Chairman of the Board. This was followed by a few remarks by the principal, Mr. W. D. B. Ritchie. Mr. E. Watson, a member of the board, then presented the Secondary School Honour Graduation Diplomas and Honour Pins to the graduating class. Members of the Graduating Class were: Jean Brandon, Dorothy Buchanan, Lenore Cates, Noella Collez, Thelma Doan, Averille Eastman (honours), David Finlay, Vivian Forbes, Clarence Karr, Patricia McGregor, Ronald Maxfield, Gray Otton, Harold Turn-

bull, William Watson, Jane Whyte. Joan Brandon and Archie Donald on behalf of the Student's Council presented each graduating girl with a locket and each graduating boy with a tie pin. The next item on the program was the Presentation of the Secondary School Graduation Diplomas and Honour Pins to graduates of grade twelve by Mr. G. Morningstar, a member of the board. Mr. C. H. Hauser presented the Intermediate Certificates and Honour Pins to students completing grade ten. Graduates of Grade nine and eleven who were eligible for an honour Pin then mounted the stage to receive a pin from Mr. C. Wilkinson.

A very important feature of Commencement Exercises was the Presentation of Scholarships and Awards conducted by Dr. W. H. Cooper. The University of Western Ontario Board of Governors Award went to Averille Eastman. Jean Brandon, Lenore Cates, Averille Eastman, Clarence Karr, and William Watson received the Dominion Provincial Bursaries. Averille Eastman received the Adelaide Hosie Award. The Albert Williams Memorial General Proficiency Awards went to Averille Eastman for Grade XIII, to Madeline Dinyer for Grade XII, to George Ivanisko for Grade XI, to Francis Ivanisko for Grade X, and Margaret Ivanisko for Grade IX.

The presentation of the Special Profic-

iciency Awards from the I.O.D.E. was made by Mrs. W. J. Siegner to Averille Eastman \$100 scholarship for the highest standing in Grade XIII, Jean Brandon and Noella Collez \$100.00 bursaries for further education in Teachers College and to Francis Ivenisko for highest standing in Canadian History.

Mr. W. Cassidy then presented the Rotary Club Proficiency Award to Floyd Maidment for Mathematics (Floyd also received the Henry Philip award) to Eleanor Frayne for Science, to Madeline Dinyer for History, to Barbara Trusler for English. The Presentation of the Legion Proficiency Award was presented by Mr. Arthur Lohead to Bonnie Butler for languages. Mrs. Charles Richardson presented the Women's Institute Prizes for the highest standing in Home Economics to the following; Grade IX Margaret Ivanisko, Grade X Carol Hayter, Grade XI Faye Boyne, Grade XII Madeline Dinyer. The Siddall Motor Sales Trophy for highest standing in Industrial Arts in Grade XI and XII to Con-

rad Sitter, the Rawlings Motor Trophy for highest standing in Industrial Arts in Grade X to Gerald Cates, and the Underwood Diplomas for proficiency and speed in typing to Eugene Beer, Faye Boyne, Joan Elliott, Graham George, George Ivanisko, Marie King, Elaine Watson, and Gail Wellington were presented by Mr. C. J. Phillips. Dr. W. H. Cooper presented the Encyclopedia Britannica to Forest District High School in memory of the first Principal, Mr. James H. Philp, B.A., who died January 30, 1892. The final presentation, that of the Athletic Awards, was made by Mr. N. Stutt. This was followed by a performance of the Glee Club, directed by Miss M. Fawcett.

The Guest Speaker was the Reverend Denton Massey, O.B.E., S.B., Minister of Point Edward Parish, Church of England. Reverend Massey gave an inspiring address to a very attentive audience. The acknowledgement was made by Mrs. C. Desjardins. Clarence Karr was the Valledictorian and de-



GRADE 13 GRADUATION 1959 - 1960

Left to right, back row: Patricia McGregor, Clarence Karr, Bill Watson, David Finlay, Gray Otton, Ron Maxfield, Lenore Cates.

Left to right, back row; Vivian Forbes, Jean Brandon, Thelma Doan, Jane Whyte, Dorothy Buchanan, Noella Collez, Averille Eastman. (absent Harold Turnbull).

livered a well prepared speech. Clarence's address was the final event of the programme and the Commencement Exercises for another year were concluded with the National

Anthem and the Recessional. Then the School Board entertained the graduates, their parents and all their friends in the cafeteria where light refreshments were served.



GRADE XII GRADUATING CLASS 1960

BACK ROW, left to right—Bruce Douglas, Gary Giles, Arthur Pansegrau, Floyd Maidment, LeRoy Haney, Jim Hamilton, Ken Poulton, Carman Levie, Dave Alpaugh.

CENTRE ROW, left to right—Eric Walden, Allan Burr, Louise Marrison, Wendy Russell, Barbara Trusler, Marjorie Ritchie, Marguerite Wight, Marie West, Jean McGregor, Madeline Dinyer, Conrad Sitter.

FRONT ROW, left to right—Rosanna Harrison, Shirley Glenn, Sandra Gordon, Joan Brandon, Pat Boyne, Ruth Waite, Bonnie Butler, Eleanor Frayne.

VALEDICTORY ADDRESS

by Clarence Karr

Mr. Ritchie, honoured guests, members of the staff, students and friends.

First of all I should like to express my appreciation for the honour of being requested to give the valedictory address tonight. Before I proceed further I want to congratulate the graduates on this their graduation night. I am sure that each of you in your chosen field of endeavour will become a citizen of whom Canada can well be proud. I wish you every success in your future life. It has been an honour to associate with students of such a high calibre and a friendly attitude. Our acquaintance shall never be for-

gotten. At this time, I should like to express sincere thanks on behalf of myself and I am sure the whole graduating class, to the very competent staff of Forest District High School which has worked so diligently for our benefit. Our teachers deserve much of the credit for our success.

Tonight I am going to briefly bring to a plumber or a fashion editor. The further you go in the field of education, the more you meet people with different ideals and thoughts. Such matters as racial segregation become meaningless. Last year there were

light a few of the different values of an education. I address my words to the undergraduates who feel that acquiring an education is an obligation rather than a privilege. What is the purpose of acquiring an education? I suppose the first thing that comes into your mind is the materialistic viewpoint. Certainly the main aim of an education is to prepare yourself for a future profession. If you feel that the intellectual subjects do not appeal to you, there are many trade and technical schools which provide excellent training. In any occupation a good knowledge of English is essential. It provides an insight into speech, vocabulary, sentence structure, letter writing and good literature. For those students who believe English is unimportant, I must disillusion you. English is taken in the first years of all university science course, business courses and even in technical school. French and other languages give you a background and a better understanding of English, our own language. An education is not to get facts but to develop the mind. Mathematics requires a great deal of thinking. This enlarges your learning capacity, and aids in your coordination. Sports and athletic events show the meaning of fair play and the art of working together.

One of the primary functions of an education is to provide students with confidence to go out into the world and to work for themselves. Obviously science courses today are of great importance. This is especially true since the space race with Russia began and we needed men who could get a satellite off the ground. I think that care should be taken not to overdo the scientific fields at the expense of the other interests.

A general education in secondary school is a must. Many students, myself included, change their choice of career, in later years of high school or even after entering university. Many subjects tend to tie in together. Examples are geography, history, and English,—biology, chemistry, and Mathematics. With a good education you should be able to take any problem from an objective viewpoint, always looking to the future.

Education fosters good relationship with other people. You should be able to converse as well with a lawyer or doctor as with

43 different nationalities of every creed and colour represented at the University of Western Ontario. No one was out of place. All were as a big happy family. People through an education acquire an ability to go out into the world and meet people. This is necessary, no matter what career you plan on entering.

Another benefit of an education is the inspiration for the appreciation of culture and literature. Are not Shakespeare's dramas more worthy of study than a Hollywood Western in which you know the good man and the bad man after the first five minutes? A good novel is certainly worthy of study. No one can appreciate it, if he or she does not try. To enjoy art you must learn to think what the picture is trying to tell you. Classical music and opera can be as thrilling as rock and roll if you teach yourself to enjoy them. Some light entertainment is permissible, but try not to make it your whole lifetime.

Today there are some 327,000 people unemployed in Canada. 87,000 of these are teenagers between the ages of 14 and 19. These are not the skilled tradesmen or the educated people. They are the ditchdiggers who can no longer find a ditch to dig; the power shovel is doing it for them. This is the era of the skilled worker. Farming enters into this. Agriculture has changed a great deal since the days of the horse and buggy. Today farming is a business and a farmer must know how to run his business. Some education is a great help in this regard.

I am sure that most of this year's upper school class will have found that the courses are rough. Many days you will feel like giving up. Work hard now and next August you will not regret it. Our parents did not have the many opportunities that we have today. Therefore, let us take advantage of these opportunities while we have the chance. Read the newspapers; keep up with the world around you. With a broad, open mind you will progress forward; with a narrow, closed mind you will remain where you are. In conclusion, on behalf of the Graduates for 1960, I should like to express gratitude to anyone who has helped in any way to make our stay at F.D.H.S. the most profitable years of our lives.

GRADE 13

DAVID ALPAUGH

Dave is a well known student at F.D.H.S. During his years in high school he has been active in many sports. He has played on the school hockey team as well as the town team, and has played on the school basket-ball and football teams. In track and field he has been champion in his own classes the last four years at Forest. He has also set records at the 5 school meets and at the W.O.S.S.A. meets. He spent last summer at St. Lambert, Que., at the Canadian Track and Field Championships. He has been in the London Free Press Leaders Club. He belongs to the Key Club and attained the rank of a major in the Cadet Corps. Dave is a member of the United Church in town. Next year he plans to attend Western University and take an honour physical education course and then teach P.T. in High School. Even with all his activities he was president of the Student Council and still made excellent marks.

BARB ANDERSON

Barb Anderson has been active and well-liked during her period at Forest District High School. She has been on the basketball team since Grade ten and was a cheerleader in Grade twelve. Barb was on the basketball team again this year and was secretary for the Junior Farmers. We wish Barb the best of luck next year, when she will be training for a nurse at Sarnia General Hospital.

JOAN BRANDON

Joan has been a very apt student during her five years at Forest District High School, and has proved it by obtaining a scholarship in Grade 9, 10, and 11. Joan gave her help in the Variety Show when she was in grade 9, and her services to the band in grades 10, 11, and 12. She was selected by her classmates to represent them in the Student Council in grades 10 and 13.

Joan was an active member of the Presbyterian Young Peoples. She has also obtained her grade 8 music. As Joan leaves in September to further her studies at the University of Western Ontario, we wish her all the best of luck.

ALLAN BURR

Although Allan Burr has not participated to any extent in sports at F. D. H. S., I know, however, that he is a great fan in many sports, especially hockey. Allan has a hobby that he calls philately, but to us it is stamp collecting. During his five years at our school, he has been active in I.S.C.F. This year because of his fine support in this organization he was elected President. He is a member of the Baptist Church and has been a member of the 4H-Club. Allan plans to go to the Ridgetown Agriculture school and we wish him success.

BONNIE BUTLER

During the first three years of high school Bonnie was an honour student. Also she was the recipient of the Language award in French and Latin last year. In Grade twelve she was an active member of the bugle band. In Grade eleven she found time to serve in the drama club.

Next fall Bonnie hopes to enter Victoria School of Nursing in London. We are sure she will make an outstanding success, and we wish Bonnie the best of luck in the years ahead.



DICK DEW

One of the tallest students in the thirteenth grade is Dick Dew. He is a very sociable lad, willing to help a student in any way possible. Although he doesn't compete on any school teams, he enjoys sports on the side such as tennis, baseball and basketball. As for hobbies, he is a great hunter. His future plans are to attend Teacher's College in London but also he has the thought of joining the R.C.M.P. In whatever course he follows he is bound to be a success.



MADELINE DINYER

To many of us the name Madeline Dinyer seems very familiar because she has been very busy in school activities during her five year stay with us. Last year she was our London Free Press Queen, took part in the Variety Show, was editor of the year book and was a member of the Library Club. She has participated in basketball and the band. During her past four years, she has received a scholarship each year. If she graduates this year she hopes to attend the College of Pharmacy in Toronto.

All who know Madeline are sure that she will make a success of whatever she chooses for her life's work. So we all wish her the best of luck in the years to come.

BRUCE DOUGLAS

Bruce is a very likeable fellow. He is quite active in school and extra curricular activities. A member of basketball teams, track and field and hockey teams he has proven his love for Athletics. He is past Commanding Officer of the Cadet Battalion, a member of the vocal group of the "Four Discords," a member of Students' Council in former years and a delegate of the school to Athletic Leadership and Training Camp at Lake Couchiching. His ambition is to be a Public School Teacher and we wish him success.



ELEANOR FRAYNE

Throughout her high school career, Eleanor has been an honour student and has received four scholarship bars. Her extra-curricular activities include having been a member of the Year Book Committee in grade 11, and a librarian in grade 12. Outside school, she has been a member of Canadian Girls in Training and last year was vice-president of her church's H.T.C. group. Next year Eleanor plans to attend London Teachers' College.



SHIRLEY GLENN

Throughout her five years at Forest High School, Shirley has been an active participant in the school's activities. In Grade 9 she was a member of the High School Glee Club and in Grade 11 and 12 she was Secretary of the Student's Council. Also in Grade 11 she participated in the cheer-leading squad and offered her services as librarian. Shirley's academic record boasts two scholarships which she received in Grades 9 and 11.

This year, the majority of the student body voted for her as Queen of the "Primrose Prom." We wish Shirley every success as she leaves Forest to attend Victoria Hospital School of Nursing in the fall.



SANDRA GORDON

With Grade eight music to her credit, Sandra Gordon plans to become a kindergarten teacher. Acting in the Variety Show, participating in cheerleaders, playing in the Girls' Bugle Band, and helping publish the school year book are some of her many activities. Sandra has also obtained one scholarship bar for Grade 11 and was active in the Presbyterian Young People's Organization, in which she held the office of secretary. For her achievements, she has acquired sufficient bars for a big "F". We wish her luck, success and happiness in her career.



JIM HAMILTON

One of the most likeable students in school is Jim Hamilton, who plans to complete Grade XIII this year. Although he does not participate in too many sports, Jim is very active in such clubs as the junior Farmers and the 4H club. Needless to say, he is a farmer at heart. Also Jim has been a valuable contestant in the rifle team of F.D.H.S. for five consecutive years. And Jim plays the coronet in the Thedford Silver Band. Next year or the year after Jim plans to attend the well-known Agricultural College at Ridgetown. I'm sure no matter what Jim plans for the future he will succeed in it.



LE ROY HANEY

During his time in high school Le Roy has taken an active interest in sports of all kinds. He was a member of the basketball team for three years and honoured the soccer team with his presence for one year. He participated in the badminton club last year. He is also interested in tennis and he likes to watch hockey. Le Roy's hobby is a 1934 Ford coupe which he has just recently finished reconstructing, including in it many innovations.

LeRoy is a very likeable person and an attentive student. After completing Grade 13 he may attend London Teachers' College.



ROSANNA HARRISON

Rosanna has attended Forest District High School for the past five years and during that time she has been an honour student. She joined the F. D. H. S. Girl's Bugle Band as majorette in grade 12 and was a member of the Thedford Silver Band for eight years. This gay, smiling girl teaches a Sunday School class and is a member of the Church Choir. Rosanna plans to attend London's Teachers College in the fall. We wish her every success in her career.



CAROL JAMIESON

In her five years as a student at F. D. H. S., Carol not only kept up a good academic record, but she was also very active in sports. She was on the WOSSA basketball team for four of those years, and was twice on the colleylball team. This year she also obtained a bar as a semi-finalist in badminton. Now, as Carol graduates from our school and goes into training for a nurse, we are sure that her willingness to work and her friendly personality will enable her to be successful in her chosen profession, and we wish her the best of luck and happiness.



SUE LEE

Sue has had an active life all through her high school years. She took part in the Variety Show when she was in grade ten. That year, she also joined the Bugle Band. In grade eleven, Sue played on the basketball team. In grade twelve, she became a cheerleader and joined the badminton club of the school. This year, badminton has again been one of Sue's outside interests. Sue also taken an active part in her church. She is a Sunday School teacher and is a member of the United Church Choir. Sue hopes to become a lab technician in the future and we wish her



CARMAN LEVIE

In his five years at Forest High Carman has "worked" very hard. In his junior years he was an honour student. In his latter years, he was a member of that loyal fraternity of the Four Discords, besides being Master of Ceremonies for the last two years at the Variety Show. While in Grade 12 he was Charter President of the School Key Club. Carman's ambition is to major in History at U. W. O. so he may return to Forest to carry on the memorable work of Mr. Evans.

DORIS McDONALD

Hails from Thedford and during the five years that Doris has attended F.D.H.S. she has always had a friendly smile for everyone. After leaving high school she plans to enter the teaching profession. Among her LIKES are English, walking, fighting, blue 1950 Chev's, chewing gum, and potato chips. Among the things she DISLIKES are "Trig." Wednesdays, champagne, Sloppy Joe's spudniks, and green eyes. Good Luck Doris.

JEAN MCGREGOR

During her five year stay at F.D.H.S., Jean McGregor has been very active. In Grades 9, 12, and 13, she has played on the basketball team, and this year was captain of the senior team. Also, while in Grade 13, she played with the volleyball team. In Grade 10, she was in the Variety Shows. Although her extra-curricular activities have taken much of her time, Jean has maintained a good scholastic standing. In Grades 9, 10, and 11, she received first class honours. Jean plans to attend London Teacher's College in the fall and become a public school teacher.

BOB McKELLAR

Tall, dark and handsome, Bob is quiet in class. Known at F. D. H. S. as "Mic" Bob has been an enthusiastic sportsman throughout his high school years and is a talented basketball, hockey and baseball player. Next fall Bob intends to enter the business world with the London Life Insurance Company, in which we wish him every success.

FLOYD MAIDMENT

Truly the silent man of Grade XIII is Floyd Maidment. Although he doesn't say much, Floyd is a very likeable person. He is one of the smarter students in school and has won many awards including the Grade X and XI proficiency awards, shop plaques and Grade XI and XII mathematics award. He has taken an active interest in cadets retiring with the rank of sergeant. He has also been a member of the rifle team for the last two years. Sports were another of Floyd's interests and he was a member of the championship basketball team of the Blue House of Grade XII. He is a member of the United Church and attends Church regularly. After graduation Floyd plans to attend University of Toronto and take the aeronautical engineering course.

LOUISE MARRISON

In her five years at Forest District High School Louise has been an honour student three times in grades nine, ten and eleven, receiving three scholarship bars. She participated in the variety shows of 1957 and 1960 as a member of the dance teams. Last year, she was the secretary of the Anglican Young People's Association. In the fall, she plans to attend London Teachers' College.

GORDON MATTHEWS

For the past six years Gord, commonly known by his classmates as "Droop", has been attending classes at F.D.H.S. For the last five years I have been in the same class as Gord and I have found him to be a very likeable companion. The rest of the fellows also find Gord to be a good classmate and he is always good for a few laughs. Although Gord is fond of most sports he took an active part in school athletics only in last year when he played hockey on the school team. Gord plans to graduate from F. D. H. S. this June and in the future he plans to enter the clerical field.

**BARB SCOTT**

Throughout her five years at high school, Barb has participated in numerous sports activities. She has been a member of the basketball team for the last four years and a member of the volleyball team for the past two years. She has also taken part in many of the track and field events at the high school. Along with this Barb is still an excellent student. She received scholarships in grades nine and ten and has achieved second class honours in previous years. Next September she plans to enter Sarnia General Hospital for a career in Nursing.

MELVIN MATTHEWS

He has enlivened many classes with his lively arguments backed by facts. This year Mel has decided to use all his energy in the academic field thus leaving behind the sports in which he was very prominent last year. Mel will not return to his beloved institution next year but will find work elsewhere. We have all enjoyed Mel's companionship during his school years here and we wish him the very best of success in the years to come.

**CONRAD SITTER**

is a most likeable and easy going person. Conrad has not made a record yet but is very musically inclined. He has taken part in the variety shows of the past years especially with his guitar. If he can't find a song to sing from a book he will make one up for himself, especially about the teachers of F. D. H. S. Among Conrad's many other activities he has taken time to play basketball and has been a member of the rifle team which travels to Hamilton each year. After graduating from F. D. H. S. he plans to attend Queen's University for an engineering degree.

ARTHUR PANSEGRAU

Art is one of the fellows, who throughout his high school years has kept the classes far from boring. His fun-loving nature has gained him many friends. To show his athletic ability he played basketball in grade 10. In the Cadet Corps Art worked his way up to a sergeant's rank. He plans in pursuing a career in the R.C.A.F. upon graduation.

**AREND SMID**

Arrived in Canada from the Netherlands in 1952. He came to us two years ago from Ridgeway and has proved to be an industrious student. He is also active in Young People's Work in the Christian Reformed Church. Arend intends to continue his studies at Guelph Agricultural College next year. Good luck to our new Canadian.

KEN POULTON

Ken has always proven to be a quiet and reserved person. Although he makes few remarks in class, it always pays to listen to them. Sports-wise, he has been active in intramural competition throughout his high school career and was an honorary member of the 59-60 soccer team. Ken is also quite active in church work and was vice-president of the I.S.C.F. last year. He plans to enter the general course of U. W. O. next year and I am sure he will make F. D. H. S. proud of him in the future.

**ERIC WALDEN**

A very likeable person, Eric is an esteemed member of the Grade 13 Rebel Rousers at F. D. H. S. His fellow students and teachers have found him to be a co-operative, industrious, and dependable student. Eric has found time to take part in many of the extra curricular activities. In grade 9 he was a member of a crackshot .303 rifle team which honoured Toronto by their visit. Throughout his school life he has taken part in the Inter-House Sports which include basketball, floor hockey, and baseball. After school, Eric has found time to take an active part in the 4-H Club, from which he has won two awards. Upon leaving F.D.H.S. Eric hopes to attend U. W. O. and eventually become a High School Teacher. Whatever Eric endeavours we know he will be most successful, and we all wish him the best of luck.

MARJORIE RITCHIE

Marjorie came to F.D.H.S. two years ago from Sarnia Central where she was a member of the Glee Club and the swimming team. In the latter she holds her Royal Life Saving Certificate. Twice she has won the coveted Silver cup for excellence in vocal solos in the Lambton Music Festival. She also has her grade 8 piano.

In grade 12 at Forest she was active in the Glee Club and participated in the variety show both in Grade 12 and 13. At our annual cadet inspection she was a lieutenant.

Next year she is going to enter Victoria School of Nursing in London. We all wish Marjorie the best of luck in the future.

**MARIE WEST**

Although not an active participant in school activities, Marie West is noted for many other things. She willingly offered her help for cadet day and was thus rewarded with the position of lieutenant of one of the girl's platoons. She is a member of the Young People's Association. The marks received during her previous years at high school reveal her great determination to get ahead. Upon her completion of this year she plans to enter Sarnia General Hospital where she will study to become a nurse.

WENDY RUSSELL

Wendy was a member of the student council during her junior year. In grade twelve she was a librarian. Throughout her five years at F.D.H.S. she has been an ardent fan of the Detroit Red Wings and makes a hobby of player's life. Wendy, with a career of teaching in mind, plans to attend London's Teachers College this fall. We think she will be successful in her career.



MARGUERITE WIGHT

Marguerite has been in our school now for 5 years. During this time she has successfully completed grades 9, 10, 11, and 12. During grades 11 and 12 she was an active member of the Thedford United Young Peoples Association. At the present time she belongs to the Bosanquet Junior Farmer's association. Next year Marguerite will be coming back to high school here, and then she hopes to attend Teachers College in London. Good luck for the future, Marguerite.



TOM HUCTWITH

Tom is in his final year here, after which he plans to attend Western, majoring in History. After this he plans to become a secondary school history teacher. During his years in high school he has been active in school sports as well as out-of-school sports. For the school he has played basketball, football and hockey, and for Forest he has played hockey and baseball.



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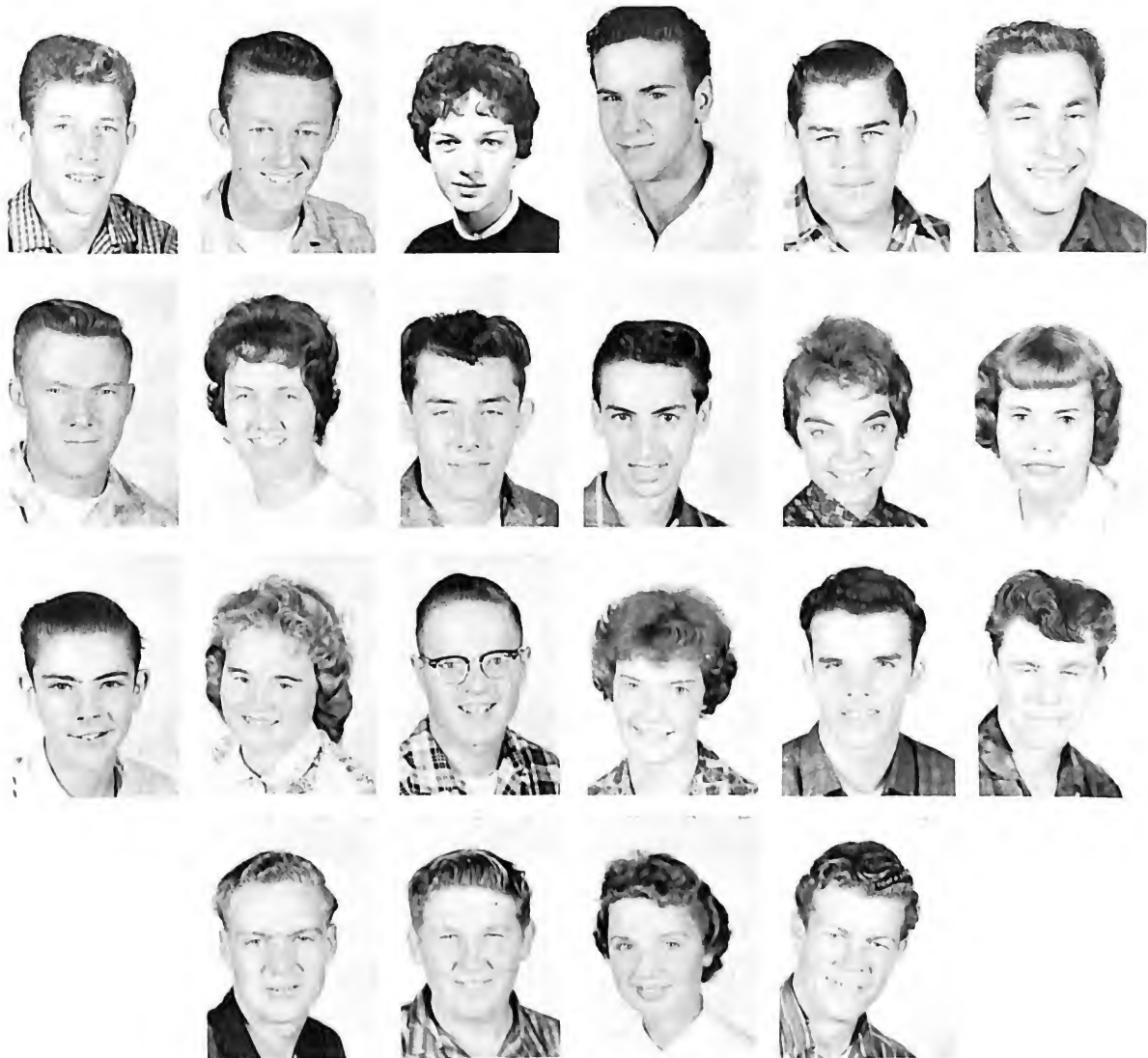
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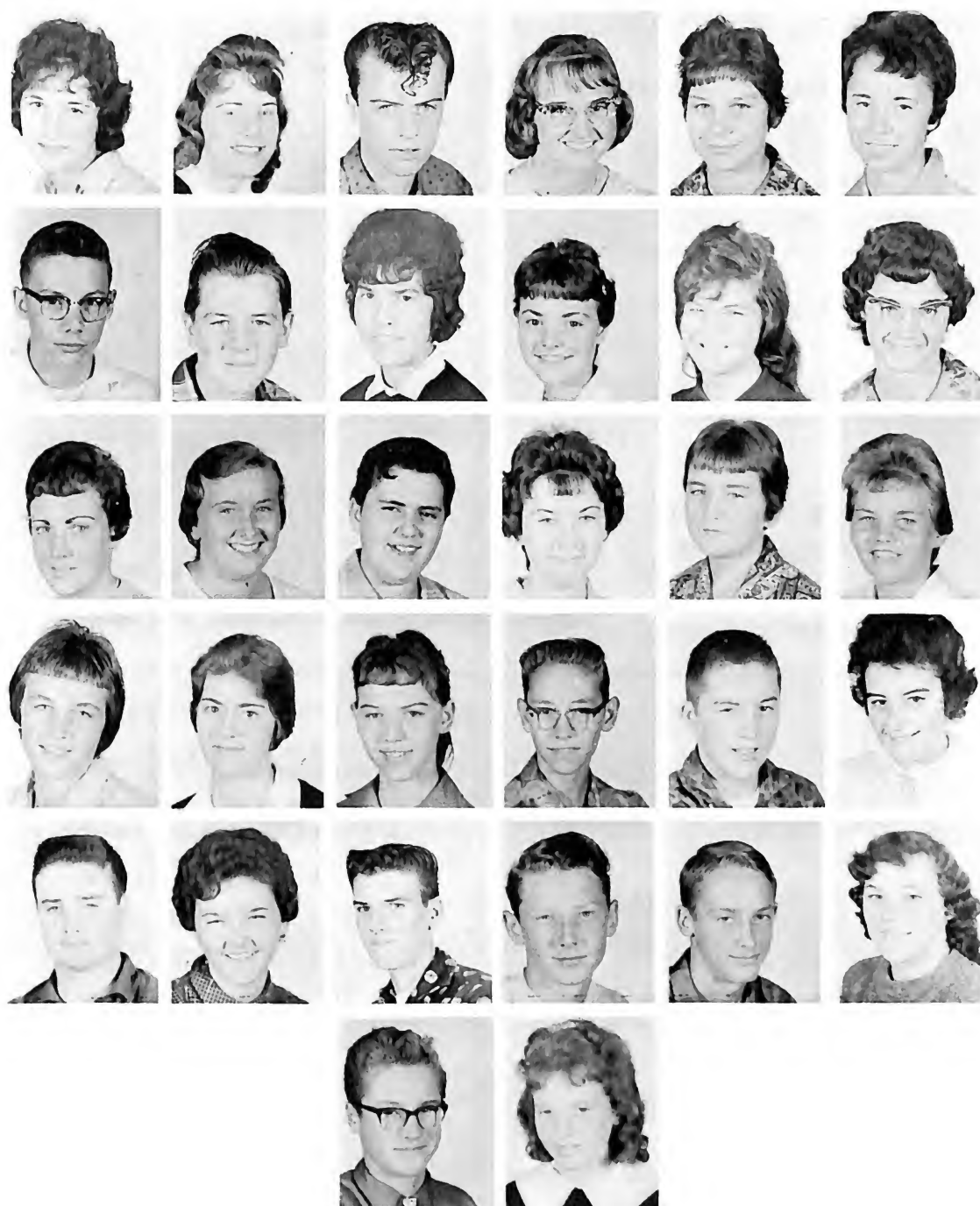
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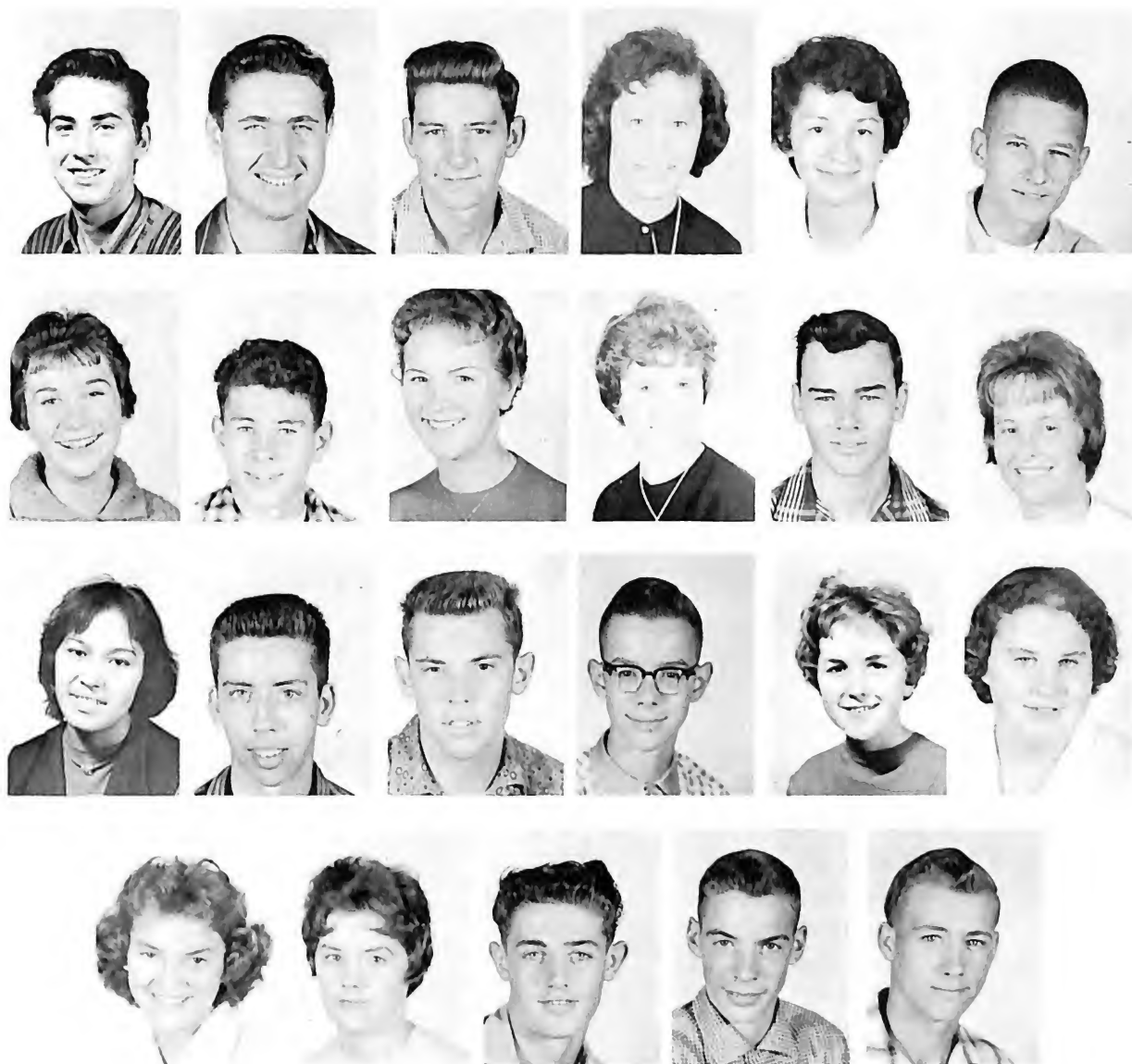
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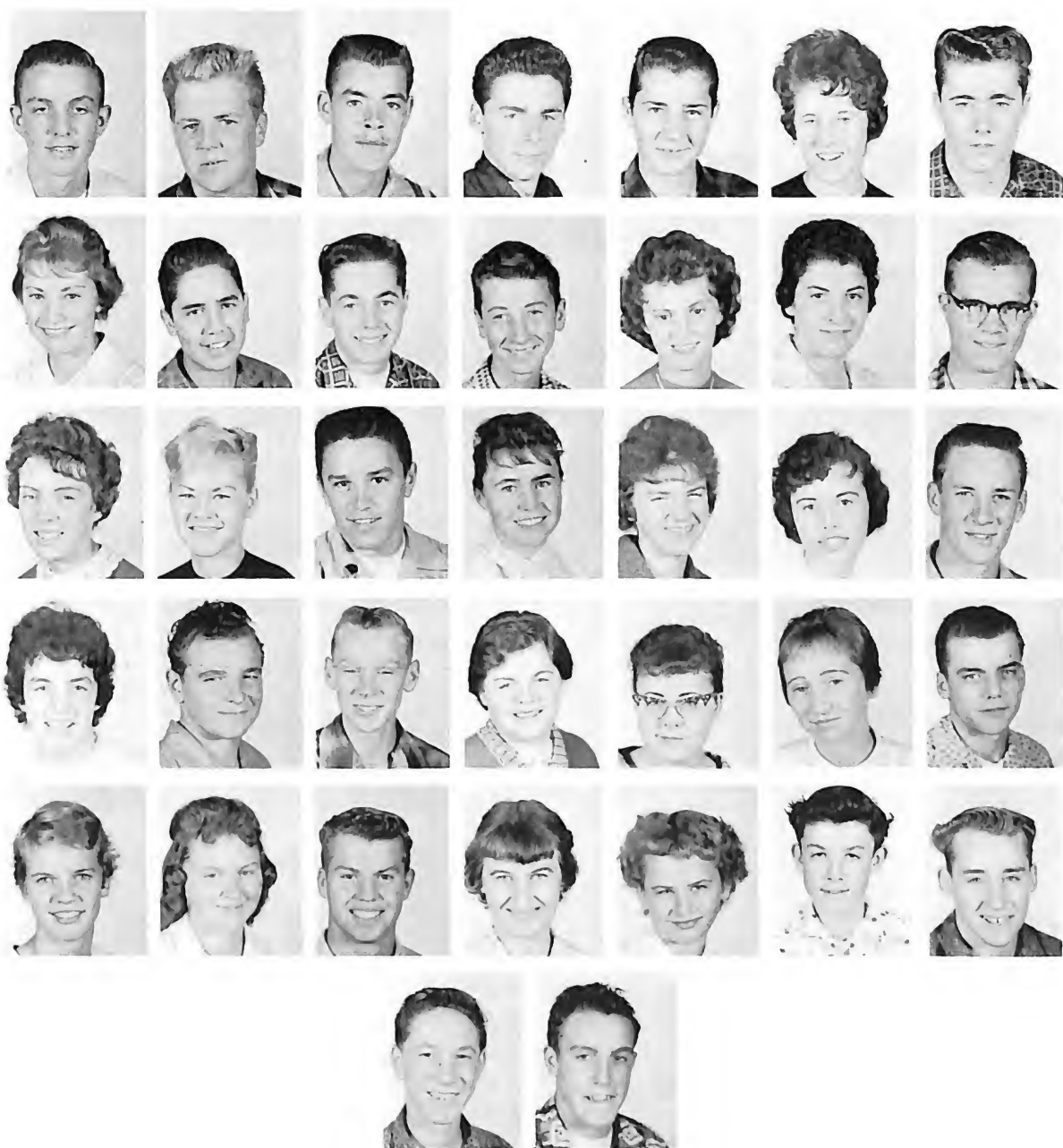
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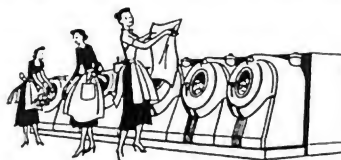
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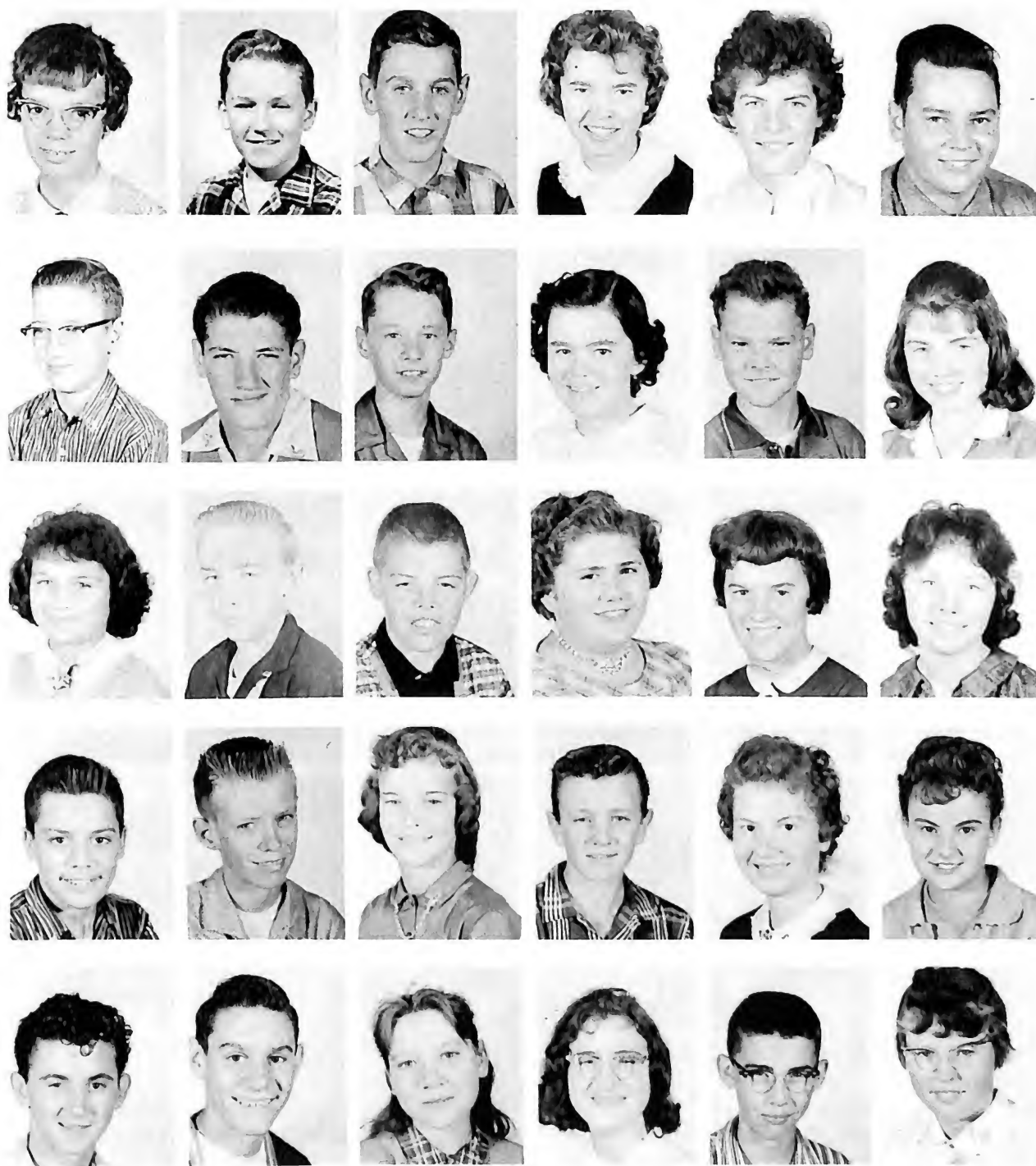
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On September 19, 1960, students were elected from each class to form the student council. Archie Donald was elected as prefect, Paul Rivers as sub-prefect, Diane Hauser as treasurer, and Marlene Matthews as Secretary.

At the first meeting, it was decided that the student council move the Lost and Found department to room 202. The girl representatives from grades nine and ten looked after this department from 12:05-12:30 each day.

On behalf of the student body, Archie Donald and Joan Brandon were elected to present gifts to the graduates of grade 13, on the night of Commencement.

During October, November and December the student council sold Christmas Cards, rings, pins, and bracelets to the student body. New Christmas cards were not purchased as as there were many left over from last year. The school ring style was the same as last year. Also during these months, school pictures were taken and were sold by the class representatives to the students.

This year trophies for a volleyball competition were purchased. The students council contributed ten dollars toward the purchase of these trophies. Further contributions from the other four schools of this area were also made. There are three trophies—one for the junior girls, one for the senior girls, and one for the boys.

Ross Douglas, our auctioneer, auctioned off some records and articles from the Lost and Found during one noon hour.

The Student Council presented Mr. Ritchie, Mrs. Fletcher, Mrs. Wynne, the janitors, the school secretary and the teachers who do not have a home room with Christmas gifts at the last assembly before the holidays.

Contributions were made to the March of Dimes and CARE this year by the student council. The twenty-five dollars which we donated to CARE were sent to India. A donation of thirty dollars was sent to the March of Dimes.

Bars for library, scholarship, band, Glee Club, Drama, cheerleader, cadet and student council, were purchased and awarded to the

students who had earned them at an assembly by the student council. The school letters were also purchased.

A metal plaque for the painting which Roger Richardson presented to the school was purchased by the student council.

The formal dance this year was on May 12.

The student council chose the name "Prim Rose Prom" for the title. This name was presented by Joan Clark.

These many activities together with monthly dances provided the student council with a busy term.

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FRONT ROW—Bob Doan, Fraser Gordon, Gary Austin, Bob Campbell, Carman Levie, Ted Dunham, Fred Negryn.

CENTRE ROW—Lex Van Rooyen, John Tops, Bernie Morningstar, Dal Thompson, John Dunham, Pat Doolittle, Gordon Quinn.

BACK ROW—Jim Semple, David Steadman, Mr. Ritchie.

The Forest District High School Key Club is a service club within the school sponsored by the Forest Kiwanis Club.

During the year the Club operated several successful fund raising activities of which "Variety 61" was the highlight. This programme not only raised funds for the Key Club but also provided the students with the opportunity of using their abilities as musicians and actors.

From the funds raised by the Club, five electric clocks were bought for the classrooms. Music stands were provided for the School's Concert Band, and coloured lights for the stage.

The Club holds weekly luncheon meetings and whenever possible has guest speakers with addresses or slides of general interest.

The club is growing in strength and looks forward to an even more successful year during the 1961-62 season.

The 1960-61 membership was 17, made up of boys from grades 10 to 13.

The Board of Directors was as follows: President Carman Levie, Secretary Darryl Thompson, Treasurer Patrick Doolittle, Vice-Pres Robert Campbell.

Directors—John Dunham, Ted Dunham, Bernie Morningstar.

THE FOREST DISTRICT HIGH SCHOOL GLEE CLUB

The Forest District High School Glee Club, under the capable direction of Miss Margaret Fawcett, has enjoyed a most successful year. The group, consisting of some fifty students—mostly girls unfortunately— by practising regularly at noon on Mondays and Friday, built up a large repertoire of lovely songs and hymns which added greatly to our pleasure at regular and special assemblies. The Glee Club's performance at Commencement in November, in the Christmas con-

certs of both school and Women's Institute, at the Variety show in February, and at the Baccalaureate service in June were excellent and contributed much to the success of these occasions. We are proud of and grateful to our Glee Club. We wish to express our sincere thanks to Miss Fawcett who has worked so untiringly and unselfishly to bring the Glee Club to the degree of excellence it now enjoys. We are looking forward to more good music next year.



I. S. C. F. REPORT

The Inter-School Christian Fellowship was held in room 207 from September through April. Each Thursday at 12:30 the students met to sing old familiar hymns and listen to the precious words of Jesus Christ.

Throughout the year the I.S.C.F. was very fortunate in having several excellent speakers. Our sponsors, Mr. Bob Brandon and Mr. Douglas Johnson, presented many challenging messages. Other speakers included Dr. J. A. Bandy, Bernie Smith, Ernie Belch, and our principal Mr. Ritchie. Marilyn Tremaine, Paul Fuller, Allen Burr, Gerald Cates and Beverly Hall were some of our own students who also spoke of His wonderful words.

The I.S.C.F. had an active social life too. Some of the members attended a gym party in Petrolia and we held our own gym party in Forest.

We think the I.S.C.F. has had a very successful year and we owe our success to

the excellent co-operation from our principal, Mr. Ritchie and the staff. Without their assistance the executive would have found it difficult in carrying on many activities.

We would like to extend a special thanks to every student who attended our meetings and have faithfully supported our motto: "To Know Christ and Make Him Know."

If you have not yet attended one of the I.S.C.F. meetings we would like to take this opportunity to invite you to attend next year. Our aim is to tell others of our Saviour, the Lord Jesus Christ, and to assist students in discovering Him as their own personal Saviour.

1960 Executive:—President, Allen Burr; Vice-President, Beverly Hall; Secretary-Treasurer, Jane McLellan; Pianist, Marilyn Tremaine, Nancy McRorie; Song Leader, Gerald Cates; Posters, Jane Burr, Nancy Hall, and Ruth Wilson. Sponsors, Bob Brandon, Douglas Johnson.

"VARIETIES '61"

On Friday, February 10th, the High School auditorium provided the setting for Varieties '61. The long weeks of preparation and rehearsing by the participants were well rewarded as a large audience was in attendance.

The programme began with a burst of fanfare by three prominent girls of our Bugle Band, followed by the singing of "O Canada." The Master of Ceremonies, Carman Levie, president of the Key Club, gave his opening remarks and the curtains opened to reveal the Glee Club. Under the direction of Miss Margaret Fawcett, they sang five numbers which were charmingly rendered. This was followed by a piano solo by Howard Scott and then a dance routine by Marguerite Holmes.

Joanne Masse entertained the audience with two lovely vocal solos, and later Marion MacDonald sang "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes." Coloured spotlights were used during these numbers, and a romantic effect was achieved.

A skit by Bob Campbell and Ross Douglas added a touch of humour to the program. Guitar numbers were presented by Conrad Sitter, and later by Ken Romphf and Bob Campbell. The play "Glamorous Gloria" under the direction of Mrs. Eloise MacLean,

was well delivered. The parts were well distributed and the wonderful performance of the actors resulted in a highly amusing play which the audience greatly enjoyed. The F. D. H.S. Concert Band, conducted by Mr. Ernie Wetton, played two delightful numbers. This was followed by Marilyn Faulds at the piano. Ronn Dodge entertained with two amusing pantomimes of Al Jolson.

A lively western effect was added to the programme by the presentation of a square dance by some of the senior students. A mandolin solo by Jamie Semple and a saxophone solo by Sydney Fletcher were enjoyed by all. The Male Quartet of four senior students gave a surprising but enjoyable skit and song routine.

The final act of the evening was the Glee Club singing five more numbers. Then all members connected with the performances in any way scrambled up on the stage for the Grand finale and sang "Till We Meet Again." Refreshments were served for the tired but happy performers and later a dance was held.

All those who helped in the programme either directly or indirectly deserve to be congratulated for making "Varieties '61" the success it was.

ASSEMBLIES

Weekly assemblies are looked forward to by the greater portion of the student body. Taking up the first period every Tuesday morning, they are a pleasant change from school routine. The programmes are varied and entertaining due to the careful planning of our principal Mr. Ritchie.

The September assemblies were mostly concerned with various announcements connected with organizing the school term. On October 11, during the week of the Baptist Church Missions, Dr. Bandy spoke to the assembly. Two weeks later a film about the food problem of the world was shown.

On November 1st, we had the privilege of hearing the R.C.A.F. Band play many spirited numbers. A week later we had our Remembrance Day service with Monsignor

Cook as guest speaker. The wreath was laid, and "Last Post" played by Mr. Evans.

Our Christmas assembly was held on December 23. Various students entertained us with their talents—either singing or playing a musical instrument. The Glee Club led the singing of many carols.

After the holidays an inter-school speaking contest was held. The five top students then battled for first place at our January 10 assembly. Francis Ivanisko, who spoke on "Farm Safety," emerged as the winner. Runners-up were Mary Rawlings and Diane Hauser. Gary Holmes and Candace Sutherland were the other participants.

The following week Jack Macgillivray from the London Art Museum, gave an informative talk on the different methods of

painting. On January 24, while an Air Force Officer discussed the R.O.T.P. Plan with interested Grade 12 and 13 students the rest of the assembly was shown a film on an Alpine Sports-car race. The last assembly in January was concerned with a film entitled "One on Every Street," about mentally retarded children.

February brought a new variety of assemblies. First Miss Barbaree Courtney from the Canadian National Institute for the Blind spoke on the different skills and handicrafts of blind people. The next week we saw an entertaining film on the Musical Ride and a week later a film on Assumption University.

On March 21, Brad Schneller gave a very enjoyable speech on 4-H. The first week in April brought a very informative film on the Saguenay River. The next week Mr. Lennon of the London Teachers College addressed

the assembly with a humorous and informative speech of the teaching profession.

On the second of May Mr. Evans showed slides of his trip to Mexico. A week later the Waterloo University Choir delighted the assembly with their various songs. On May 16, Mr. C. C. Millar, Field Secretary of the Ontario Temperance Federation, discussed the dangers of alcohol. At the next assembly Corporal Hodgkins, a representative from the Ontario Provincial Police, showed us a film on safe driving and later told of the changes in receiving Drivers licenses. At the last assembly of the year Lana Wilson presented an interesting speech on her student-exchange trip to the U. S.

Other assemblies during the past year included films on Driving and Hydro and the presentation of various bars and awards to deserving students.



NO. 2097 FOREST HIGH SCHOOL CADET CORPS 1960 - 1961

This year the regiment contained about one hundred and thirty boys plus officers. During the winter months the boys spent an hour a week studying first aid, signalling and civil defence. Cadet Corporal George Gammon and Cadet Dirk Bouma were successful in attaining their signaller's badge.

A rifle team competed in matches at Winona and Cedar Springs and placed very well in the scoring. Seven cadets also attended parades with the Militia at Watford for several weeks in preparation for a demonstration on the 105 Howitzer.

On the advent of the finer weather the regiment moved outside to the campus for marching and rifle drill.

May 24 was Cadet Inspection Day. The corps were inspected by Lt. Col. Taylor, commander of the 7th Field Regiment. The march past the reviewing stand was followed by demonstrations by the band, the girl's P. T. squad, the precision drill squad and the Howitzer crew. The regiment was then formed into a hollow square for presentation of awards and comments from the reviewing officers. C/Lt. Col. Archie Donald was awarded the Strathcona crest for best shot in the school. C/Lt. Bev. Hall and C/Lt. Richard Kemp received marksman awards from Mr. Bruce Siddall, President of the Forest Branch of the Canadian Legion. C/Lt. Dick

Hughes, C/Sgts. Bob McGregor and Bob Bell received first class awards. Lt. Col. Taylor praised the corps for their steadiness on parade and commented on the precision of their demonstrations. Lt. Clegg, the area Cadet Officer, commended the corps and especially praised the band. The regiment then marched downtown past the reviewing stand and back to the school for dismissal.

The officers of the year were: Officer Commanding—C/Col. Archie Donald. Second in Command—C/Maj. Robert Campbell.

No. 1 Battery, OC C/Maj. Tom Millar. 2 I/C C/Capt. Geo. Ivanisko.

No. 2 Battery OC C/Maj. Spencer Gold-er 2 I/C C/Capt. Richard Kemp.

A Troop, Commander C/Lt. Bev. Hall. C/Sgt. Bob Kenzie.

B Troop, Commander C/Lt. Paul Rivers, C/Sgt. Bob McGregor.

C Troop, Commander C/Lt. Dale Humphries, C/Sgt. Fraser Gordon.

D Troop, Commander C/Lt. Harold Pym, C/Sgt. Doug Glenn.

E Troop, Commander C/Lt. Ross Douglas, C/Sgt. Gary Cadman.

F Troop, Commander C/Lt. Dick Hughes, C/Sgt. Bob Bell.

C/BSM Allen McRorie, Bill Johnston
C/RSM Ken Stover

BUGLE BAND

For 1960-61, the bugle band was formed mainly from new recruits. However some veterans remained.

The girls' uniforms consisted of a short, white pleated skirt, white bloomers and a jacket with a purple plaque fastened to the front. This was in keeping with the school colors—white and purple.

The usual band formation had Rosanna Harrison, our drum majorette leading with the drummers following. Next came the cymbals, then the valves and the straight bugles.

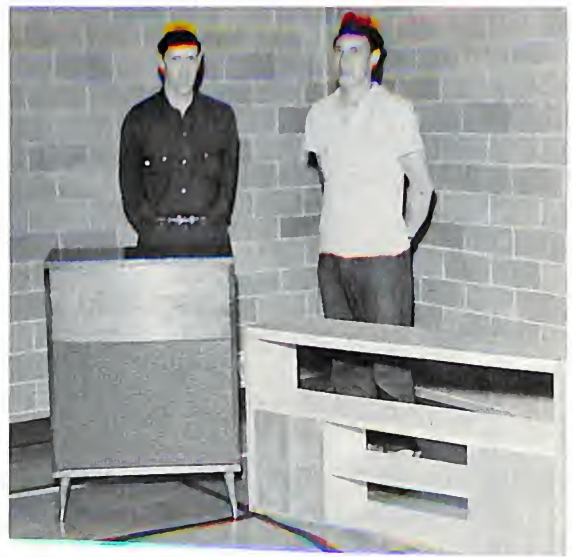
Our drummers were—Catherine Wynne, Bonnie Jamieson, Janet Meadows, Sally O'Donnell, Phyllis Patterson and Mary Rawlings. Margaret Patterson played the cym-

bals. Marilyn Tremain and Jean Wilkinson played the glockenspiel. Bonnie Huctwith, Maureen Kemp, Kathryn Turk and Christine Ritchie played the valves. Lynda Hamilton, Jane Burr, Cathy Adams, Mary Cochrane, Lynda Butt, Alice Stephenson, Joyce McNaughton, Marilyn Faulds and Margaret Ivanisko played straight bugles.

The various activities at which the bugle band was present were the Rotary Frolic, Forest Fair, and Cadet Day.

Of course the bugle band knows that their services were most appreciated by the classes going on inside the school. However as long as our director Mr. Evans remains, the Bugle Band has a safe future in sight.





BACCALAUREATE SERVICE

The first annual Baccalaureate Service and church parade for Forest District High School was held on Sunday, June 4, at 7:30 P.M. The graduating classes of grades twelve and thirteen assembled at St. James Presbyterian and St. Christopher's Roman Catholic Churches. Rev. Quinn, president of the ministerial association, and Father Smith were in charge of the Protestant and Roman Catholic services respectively. Mr. Quinn was assisted by Rev. Cooper, of the Dutch Reform Church, Rev. Daunt of the Anglican parish of Arkona and Thedford, Rev. Willson of the Forest Baptist Church and Archie Donald, Officer Commanding of the Cadet Corps. The Glee Club, under the direction of Miss Margaret Fawcett at the organ, led the singing and contributed two anthems.

A benediction, a sermon, and devotions were given by Father Smith at the Catholic service. Father Smith spoke on the purpose of education. Mr. Quinn's subject was "What is Your Ambition."

The Cadet Corps headed by Captain G. S. Walker and Lieutenant J. Kaempf, and attended by the Forest District High School Girls Bugle Band, led the pupils of grades nine, ten, and eleven from the school to the two churches.

There was a gratifying attendance of both pupils and friends. Both services proved inspiring and will long be remembered.

DANCES

Although the students of our school participate in many activities, they also find time in their busy schedule to sponsor at least one dance a month. The first dance, on September 23, was a welcome party for the Grade 9 students who had been initiated the previous week by the Grade 13. The October dance was in honour of the Blue House who were the house league champions of the previous year. It was arranged by 12A, and was well attended and very successful. After the November exams were finished, 12B sponsored a dance for our relaxation, which was much

appreciated after the weeks of concentrated study. The fall term's activities were concluded with a very lovely Christmas dance, arranged by the Students' Council. The River Boat Five provided very appropriate music for the occasion, and the gymnasium was beautifully decorated with seasonal colours, a sleigh, mistletoe, and a visit from Santa.

The first dance of the new year was a Sadie Hawkins dance on January 20 to conclude a "Beware of Girls" week. Some boys managed to escape, but many got caught and enjoyed themselves very much at the party put on by 11A. On February 17, 11B did an excellent job of decorating the gym for the Valentine dance. March 24th was the night the Grade 10 students had their opportunity to contribute a dance. Then on April 14, the Athletic Society arranged games for the first part of the evening and the Key Club carried on the dance programme for the second part.

The big dance of the year, the Prim Rose Prom, was arranged by the Students' Council on May 12. The gym was beautifully transformed by the gay streamers, the climbing roses, the bright balloons, the wishing well, and the artistic mural. Miss Shirley Glenn was elected Queen of the Ball by the student body, and was crowned by last year's queen, Miss Sheila Sutherland. Her attendants were Barbara Anderson, Joan Elliott, Marlene Mathews, and Faye Boyne. This concluded the dances for the year.

EXCHANGE STUDENTS

This spring, Lana Wilson of 11A and Marilyn Albrecht of Crosswell, Michigan, spent one week in each others' homes and schools. The exchange was arranged by the Rotary Clubs of Forest and Crosswell, and the two girls who participated were very worthy representatives of their own schools and countries. Both seemed to gain a great deal from their visits, and their messages to our students were very much appreciated.



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BOYS' ATHLETICS

FOOTBALL

With the expansion of our nine man football team into a twelve man unit, Forest had a difficult time in the readjustment. Much credit is to be given to the members of our squad, especially to the boys with very little experience to draw upon.

A look at the scores renders an accurate evaluation of Strathroy's superiority in power and weight. But the scores also show Forest's progressive improvement and determination to win.

Summary of Football schedule:

October 20, Strathroy 13, Forest 7.

October 20, Strathroy 20, Forest 6.

November 3 Strathroy 32, Forest 16.

November 3, Strathroy 7, Forest 6.

SOCCER

Through rain, hail, sleet, and snow, as the old saying used by the postman goes. Our soccer team had more than enough of these in the five games that we played against Strathroy, Watford and Glencoe. We lost the first game to the Strathroy boys on their home field, but we came out victorious on our own campus. Similarly we lost to Glencoe on their field but did not emerge as the winners when we played at home. We defeated Watford with a high score of 7-1 with their only point being called on us when our goalie, Doug Kersey, accidentally carried the ball between the goal posts as he was hurried by the opposing forwards. All in all it was a good season with Forest ending third in a league of Four. Many thanks to Mr. Day for taking time out to coach us.

SOCCER TEAM



FRONT ROW—W. Linker, S. Fletcher, B. Hall, R. Kemp, D. Hughes, D. Kersey.
BACK ROW—G. VanKessel, C. Sitter, Mr. Day, B. Campbell, Szabo.

BASKETBALL

Hats off to Strathroy and Parkhill for winning the Wossa B senior and junior Basketball Championships. These coveted trophies coming to our district prove the high calibre of basketball play in our league. This may be an omen for good things to come in Forest boys' basketball although there will be no promises made by our coach.

STRATHROY:

The Junior boys who, perhaps, suffered the jitters, lost a heart-breaker to Strathroy in the dying seconds of the game. Their better playing and shooting came in spasms, but Strathroy finished strongly to eke out a victory of 37-36.

Our Seniors were humbled by a 61-44 point spread. The power, height and ball handling of Strathroy undermined Forest and the absence of a few key players didn't help our cause.

Home Game February 24:

The home court provided a bright factor in both team's playing. This resulted in a split in games with the scores not showing as much spread. Sparked by the home school cheering the Forest Juniors kept up a sustained drive to narrowly defeat the opposition 22 to 18.

The Senior game was more closely contested, but still Strathroy's height advantage was enough to keep them on top. Frank's shooting enabled Strathroy to defend their winning streak. The final score was 42 for Strathroy and 33 for Forest.

WATFORD:

In the senior games played with Watford each won one game. Home game—Forest 37, Watford 33, Away game—Forest 42, Watford 45. In the two games played, Forest had a 1 point advantage which was a indication of evenly matched teams.

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The junior's games resulted in two wins for Forest. This in essence came from Watford's lack of experience and erratic shooting. Home game Forest 35, Watford 27; Away game 45, Watford 20.

PARKHILL—Being as strong as ever in basketball, Parkhill displayed good form in humiliating Forest to the tune of 4 losses (no wins). In no way did Forest ever threaten Parkhill's hold on first place. Scores: Home Games' Juniors, Parkhill 75, Forest 28; Seniors—Parkhill 43, Forest 23.

Away Games: Juniors, Parkhill 70, Forest 41; Seniors, Parkhill 66, Forest 36.

GLENCOE—

The home court was the deciding factor for these teams. In Glencoe our senior team finished well behind with the score of 66 to 26. Moore of Glencoe accounted for 42 of these points. The juniors lost a close game by the score of 32 to 28.

The tables turned on Forest's court. The Seniors, sparked by Dave Alpaugh's drives, Dave MacDonald's defensive playing, and Dale Humphries' antics, outplayed Glencoe 54 to 40.

The Juniors were also true to form and displayed remarkable improvement over their opponents. The score at end of regulation time was 50 to 19.

FIELD DAY—The local Field Day went off quite well with excellent weather, good participation, and no serious accidents; however, very little enthusiasm or interest was shown by the student body as a whole.

The Blue convincingly defeated Gold and Green Houses with a total score of 198, but narrowly shaded Red House by 8 points for the overall championship. There were several records broken by the boys. In the Junior Boys Division Leslie Frayne eclipsed the old record by 1 second for the 220 yard dash of 27.4 seconds. In the Intermediate boys, Elmer Karr established a new record of 33 feet, 8 inches in the twelve pound shot-put. The former record was 32 feet, 2 inches. In the Juvenile boys three records were set.

In the 75 yard dash, Roger Richardson broke the old record of 9.4 seconds, (set by Jim Bloomfield in 1955) by .2 seconds. In the pole vault, Wayne Bressette vaulted to a record height of 7 feet, 4 inches, the former record also being held by Jim Bloomfield, who jumped to 7 feet, 2 inches in 1955. In the high jump we have a new record set by Bill Millar who jumped 4 feet, 7 and 3-8 inches, adding 3-8 inches to mark set by Ted Rawlings in 1932, and Leo Prout in 1959.

FIVE SCHOOL MEET—The Forest contingent in the five-school meet, held at Strathroy on October 5, was very well organized, having its headquarters at the centre of the field. Here, Forest Competitors checked their events, equipment, and also were conditioned by Mr. Phillips for the events. Forest ended the day in a blaze of glory with a grand total of 182 points for the boys and girls combined, compared to the 159 points accumulated by Strathroy which finished in second place. In addition to the overall trophy we won the juvenile and Junior boys class championships. Individual championships went to Bill Millar in the Juvenile class, Leslie Frayne in the Junior class and Dave Alpaugh in the Senior.

Two new records were set on that day. Leslie Frayne established a new distance in the running broad jump of 17 feet, 8½ inches. Dave Alpaugh erased the 21 feet 1½ inches record set in 1923 by Don Wright of Strathroy in the running broad jump with a new record of 21 feet, 10¼ inches.

W.O.S.S.A.—Other meets attended were the Wossa B track meet in London where Dave Alpaugh tied Bruce Greenstreet of Woodstock for the Senior Individual championship, by placing first in running broad jump, second in the hop, step and jump and first in the 100 yard dash.

A local event was the cross-country race which was won by Gerritt Braaksma in the Senior Class and Wayne Hopper in the Junior Class. The course was laid out crossing the creek behind the back campus of the school. The students showed much en-

thusiasm for the event. Both classes were closely contested and it was only the intelligent thinking on the part of the winners that enabled them to win the championships.

Six students went with Mr. Kaempf to the 97th Highlander's annual indoor track meet in Hamilton. Athletes from all over the U. S. and Canada competed. Chas. Stevens reached finals in the 50 yard sprint by coming second in his elimination race and first in the

semi-finals. His time was 5.7 seconds. Other contestants from Forest were Lynda Kimball, Leslie Frayne, Dave Alpaugh, Dave Hall and John Delmage.

W.O.S.S.A. BADMINTON

In the mixed game Phyllis Marsh and Gary Holmes lost to Sir Adam Beck. Mary Rawlings won against Glencoe but lost in the finals to London Central.

TRACK TEAM



BACK ROW, left to right—Leslie Frayne, Elmer Karr, Dave Alpaugh, Gary Cadman, John Delmage.

FRONT ROW, left to right—David Hall, Betty Shepley, Ruth Willson, Phyllis Marsh, Lynda Kimball, Bill Millar.

GIRLS' ATHLETICS

THE FIVE SCHOOL MEET

The five school Track and Field meet was held on October 5, 1960 in Strathroy. This was the 31st annual meet. Forest won the meet this year with a score of 182 points followed by Strathroy with 153 points. In the Running Board Jump, Mary Clark came 4th in the junior, Tena Braaksma and Judy Wilson came 3rd and 4th in the intermediate, and Beverly Burnley came 1st in the senior. In the Standing Broad Jump, Linda Kimball came 2nd in the juniors, Mary Braaksma and Judy Wilson came 2nd and 4th in the intermediate, and Connie Scott came 1st in the

senior. In the softball throw Margaret Zavitz and Phillips Marsh came 3rd and 4th in the junior, and Olive Goldsmith came 4th in the intermediate. In the 75 yard dash Linda Kimball and Margaret Zavitz came 1st and 4th in the junior, Judy Wilson came 2nd in the intermediate and Shirley Emmons came 3rd in the senior. In the Speedball Forest came 2nd in the junior, was tied with Strathroy for 1st and second in the senior. In the high jump, Tena Braaksma came 4th in the intermediate. In the 300 yard relay Forest came 1st in the juniors, 2nd in the intermediate and 4th in the senior.

SENIOR GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM



Left to right—Barbara Scott, Teresa Prout, Mary Rawlings, Jean McGregor, Barbara Anderson, Joan Elliott, Carol Jamieson.

JUNIOR GIRLS' BASKETBALL TEAM



BACK ROW, left to right—Mary Clark, Dorothy Hill, Marlyn Faulds, Ruth Willson, Phyllis Marsh, Mary-Ann MacFarlane.

FRONT ROW, left to right—Joan Clark, Kathy Adams, Marie Robinson, Bonnie Jamieson, Nancy McRorie, Betty Shepley.

BASKETBALL

The basketball season started very successful for the girls. An exhibition game was played with Petrolia at Forest, in the junior game Forest won with a score of 55 to 5. In the senior game Forest won with a score of 25 to 4. On January 25 Forest was now starting the schedule with the five schools. Each team played a game at home and then a game away—ten games for each. This year our teams won all the games but one, and the juniors had to play a final game at Parkhill. In the games with Glencoe, Forest Juniors won with a score of 50 to 2 in the first game and 59 to 11 in the second game. In the senior game Forest won the first game with a score of 17 to 14 and the second game with a score of 34 to 18. In the games with Watford, Forest juniors won with a score of 29 to 16 in the first game and 40 and 26 in the 2nd game. In the seniors Forest won the first game with a score of 23 to 8 and the second game the score was 29 to 13. In the games with Parkhill, Forest juniors won with a score of 53 to 20 in the first game and 46 to 17 in the second game. In the senior games Forest won with a score of 25 to 11 in the first game and 19 to 12 in the second game. In the games with Strathroy, Forest won the first game with a score of 24 to 14 but lost the second game with a score of 26 to 16 for Strathroy. In the senior games Forest won the first game with a score of 43 to 25. The juniors played their playoff game with Strathroy at Parkhill and the score was 30 to 16 for Forest. On March 10 the junior and senior teams travelled to Dresden where the seniors played with West Elgin and the juniors play with Blenheim. In the game

with West Elgin, Forest lost with a score of 47 to 19. In the junior game with Blenheim, Forest lost with a score of 56 to 47. On January 22, Forest played an exhibition game with Sarnia Central. In the junior game Forest won with a score of 47 to 13 and in the senior game Forest won with a score of 23 to 17.

VOLLEYBALL

The senior volleyball team was composed of J. McGregor, M. Rawlings, C. Jamieson, T. Prout, B. Burnley, V. Forbes, J. Wilson, B. Scott, P. Clark, O. Goldsmith, the captain was Beverly Burnley. The volleyball games were held at Forest. In the games with Parkhill, Forest senior won the first game with a score of 15 to 5 and won the second game with a score of 9 to 7. The Forest junior team won the first game with a score of 15 to 2, Parkhill won the second game with a score of 9 to 5 and Forest won the third game with a score of 12 to 6. In the games with Watford, Forest won all the games. In the seniors the scores were 15 to 2 in the first game and 10 to 7 in the second. In the juniors, Forest won the first game with a score of 15 to 1, and the second game was 14 to 8. In the games with Strathroy, Forest seniors won both games. In the first game the score was 11 to 3 and the second game was 15 to 3. In the juniors Forest lost the first game with a score of 12 to 10 for Strathroy, but won the next two games with a score of 15 to 8 and 15 to 6. The members of the junior team were P. Marsh, B. Shepley, N. McRorie, M. Faulds, H. Merriott, R. Willson, C. Ritchie, D. Hill, and B. Jamieson.



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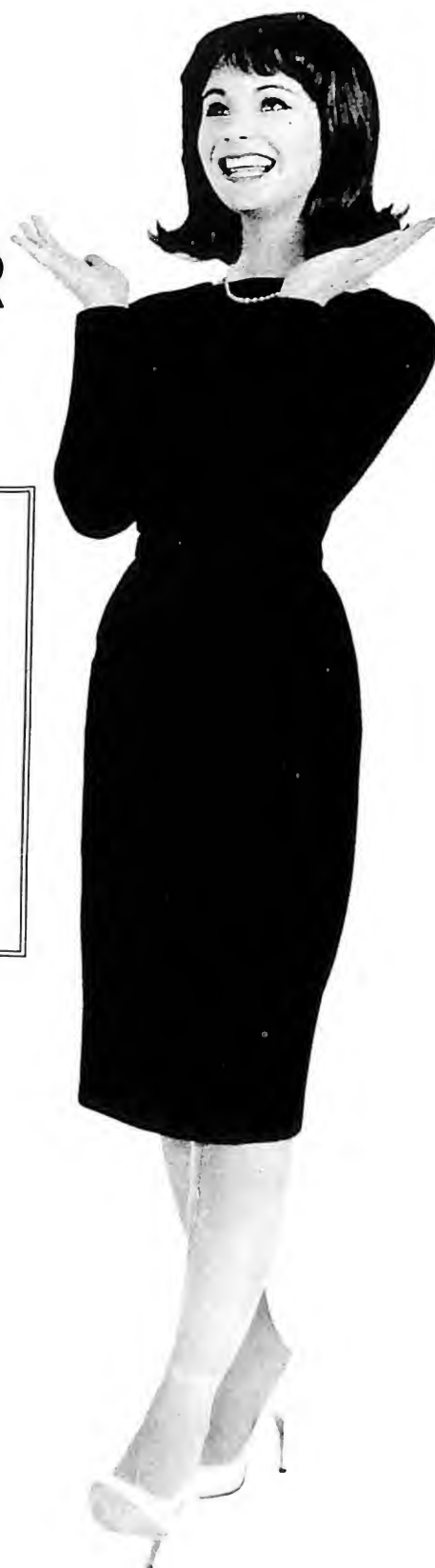
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